FIG. 5 is a flow diagram of an exemplary codec type detection process that may be performed by the receive modem shown in FIG. 4;

FIG. 6 is a prior art table of PCM transmission levels as set forth in ITU-T Recommendation V.90;

FIG. 7 is a prior art table of positive A-law levels as set forth in ITU-T Recommendation G.711; and

FIG. 8 is a prior art table of indices corresponding to a -law to A-law conversion scheme as set forth in ITU-T Recommendation G.711.

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